Declaration of Drought Emergency in the Village of Angel Fire Proclamation 2011-02

Whereas, a long and continuing period of unusually dry weather, abnormally low stream flows, and reduced groundwater levels have resulted in shortages of water supplies within Angel Fire; and

Whereas, in accordance with criteria established by the Village of Angel Fire Ordinance 2001-06 for natural resource shortages, a review of climatic, hydrologic, and water supply conditions indicate the existence of a drought and water shortage emergency in Angel Fire; and

Whereas, these conditions and water shortages may endanger the health, safety, and welfare of a significant number of Angel Fire citizens, threaten our natural resources, and have created and threaten to create problems greater in scope than municipal and county governments alone may resolve; and

Whereas, conservation measures are necessary to reduce the severity of these water shortfalls and to protect the health, safety, and welfare of affected citizens in Angel Fire;

Therefore, the Governing body of The Village of Angel Fire, by virtue of the authority vested does hereby declare, order, direct, and certify as follows:

- 1. A state of drought and water shortage emergency exists in the Village of Angel Fire.
- 2. The use of commercial car washes is recommended.
- 3. Implement the regulations set forth in the Village of Angel Fire Ordinance 2001-06, Article 3, Level Two, consistent with the provisions of the Village of Angel Fire Emergency Water Conservation Ordinance:

Level Two, Blue Flag:

- (1) Two (2) days per week outdoor watering restrictions. Odd street addresses are allowed outdoor watering on Wednesdays and Saturdays; even street addresses are allowed outdoor watering on Thursdays and Sundays. Outdoor watering on designated days shall only be allowed between the hours of six o'clock (6:00) A.M. and ten o'clock (10:00) A.M. and six o'clock (6:00) P.M. and ten o'clock (10:00) P.M.
- (2) Planting of new sod or turf is not recommended.
- (3) The filling of hot tubs is not recommended.
- (4) Water is not allowed to run unattended or to run off property in a wasteful manner.
- (5) Cleaning of outdoor hard surfaces (streets, driveways, sidewalks, buildings) is prohibited.
- (6) Vehicle washing is discouraged and prohibited for fund raising events.

This Proclamation shall take effect immediately.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Village of Angel Fire this day of

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AFTEST: June on June
Terry Cordova Village Clerk